

REMARKS

Prior to examination of the above-captioned application, Applicants respectfully request consideration of this amendment and the remarks made herein. The specification has been amended to include cross-reference to related applications.

Applicants submit herewith a Sequence Listing in paper and computer-readable form. Please enter this Sequence Listing into the specification of the above-captioned application.

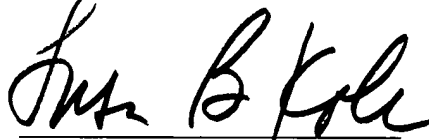
I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same.

I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing, submitted herewith in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.82(f), does not include new matter.

Applicants request an early and favorable consideration of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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